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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: Veronica F. Faison Gee
AKIRA NAGASHIMA, et al.	)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 1755
Application No.: 10/629,620	)	
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Filed: July 30, 2003	)	
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For: INK, INK-JET RECORDING	)	
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INK CARTRIDGE, INK-JET	:	
RECORDING APPARATUS,	)	
FLUORESCENCE ENHANCING	:	
METHOD AND METHOD OF	)	
ELONGATING LIFE TIME OF	:	
FLUORESCENCE	)	February 21, 2007

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

This is further to the Information Disclosure Statement filed January 25, 2007. Applicants note that the Information Disclosure Statement was not filed before issuance of a Notice of Allowance. A Notice of Allowance was issued in the subject application on January 25, 2007. Accordingly, Applicants are now providing a statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e).

STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R § 1.97(e)

Each item of information in the Information Disclosure Statement filed January 25, 2007 was first cited in any communication from a foreign Patent Office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of the instant Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.

FORMAL MATTERS

The \$180.00 fee was submitted with the Information Disclosure Statement filed January 25, 2007. Accordingly, no fee is believed due. However, any required fee should be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.

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CONCLUSION

Consideration of the document cited in the Information Disclosure Statement filed January 25, 2007 is believed to be proper, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(d). Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner return an initialed copy of the Form PTO-1449 that accompanied the Information Disclosure Statement.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa,  
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Respectfully submitted,



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